

The McCook Tribune.

TWENTY-SECOND YEAR

McCOOK, RED WILLOW COUNTY, NEBRASKA, FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 26, 1903

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Pythian Memorial Day.

The members of McCook lodge observed their annual memorial day, last Sunday afternoon. The members of the order assembled at their castle hall at 2 o'clock, marching from thence to St. Alban's chapel, where they listened to the regular evening service of the Episcopal church, with an excellent sermon by Rector E. R. Earle on the Scripture lesson, "Greater love hath no man than that he give his life for his friends." After services in the church the members marched and rode to the two city cemeteries, where the graves of deceased knights were lavishly and tenderly decorated with a wealth of flowers, these services being according to the beautiful ritualistic requirements of the order. From the cities of the dead the brethren return to their castle and disbanded.

Govern Yourself Accordingly.

Thursday, July 2nd, the middle or south river bridge over the Republican will be closed against travel all day, while repairs are being made. It will be remembered that when the bridge was damaged by the flood early in the spring when the ice went out of the river, certain timbers were loaned by the Burlington railroad company for repairs, until the timbers could be secured on the market and gotten here. Those timbers have now arrived, and will be placed in the bridge, July 2nd; hence the closing of the bridge on that day. Parties interested will take due notice, and will govern themselves accordingly. The borrowed timbers will be returned to the Burlington by the county with the appreciation of the people for their courtesy.

H. R. Stanley Married.

Mr. H. R. Stanley and Miss Ida Lee of Elwood, Nebraska, were married at that place, Tuesday evening, and arrived here Wednesday morning, to make their permanent home. Harry Stanley, the groom, is well known to the merchants here, having visited Holdrege for several years past as a traveling salesman. He is at present representing Allen Bros. of Omaha. The bride is an esteemed young lady of Elwood, where she has been engaged in teaching school for some years. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley have secured the residence recently vacated by F. R. Bellamy, just south of Judge Goble's, where they will immediately go to housekeeping.—Holdrege Progress, June 19th.

We Have Your Hammock.

The rest, comfort and enjoyment you get out of a hammock is always worth many times its cost. This line of goods has been much improved in the last few years, and we think the lines we are showing this year will provide more comfort than the styles of previous years.

L. W. McCONNELL, Druggist.

Will McCook Celebrate

This year? If they do, all the up-to-date young men will need a buggy in which to bring their best girls to town; and if they don't, they will have the same need in going where they do celebrate! Make arrangements with W. T. Coleman at once for a buggy. Go in and look over his selection.

Horse Kicked Him.

Ira Peterson, mail-carrier on the McCook-Banksville route, was kicked on the leg, last Saturday, by his own horse, and Claude Fowler had to relieve him part of this week. One of the small bones was slightly splintered, but he will be about as usual shortly.

Will Build It Themselves.

The Catholic brethren have decided to build their new church themselves, and the work will be pushed along as fast as possible, beginning at once. James McAdams will be superintendent of the work.

Dwelling House for Sale.

My residence property in McCook, lot 16, block 8, original McCook. Address, J. L. GRAY, 6-23-2m 528 W. 69th st., Chicago, Ill.

American A 2-bushel grain bags 16¢, best carpet warp on spools 18¢ lb., best table oil cloth 15¢ yard, men's heavy cotton sock 5¢ pair, best indigo dyed dress prints 5¢ yard, best shirting prints 4½¢ yard. Strictly cash prices on all goods. The Thompson Dry Goods Co.

Very handsome black satin belts just received at The Thompson Dry Goods Co's.

Just received, 48 and 54-inch binder canvas at J. H. Grannis'.

We have just received a line of new things in wrist bags, nitsukas, pocket books and card cases. L. W. McCONNELL, Druggist.

MOVEMENTS OF THE PEOPLE.

Ira J. CLARK is home on a visit. Ed PATTERSON is visiting in the city. Mrs. C. H. CLARK is a guest of Mrs. C. E. Cone.

Miss LILLIAN ROMAN left for her home in Lincoln, Sunday.

C. H. BOYLE had business in Trenton, first of the week.

C. O. GRIMES succeeds Rasmussen in Sutton's jewelry store.

CHARLES WHITTAKER of Holdrege rooted for the home team, Tuesday.

Mrs. ALEX CARMICHAEL is down from Denver visiting the family here.

ALICE MENARD entertained the young ladies of the Awl-O's club, Wednesday evening.

Mrs. EARL CORBIN entertained her sister Miss Laura Webber of Cambridge last week.

Mrs. C. L. FAH, rock is expected home, next Wednesday, from her trip to St. Louis.

DR. WHITTIER and Frank Miller were up from Holdrege, to witness Monday's ball game.

FRANK DEAN, the Holdrege hardware merchant, was among the Holdrege rooters, Tuesday.

MR. AND MRS. WILL DOLAN were up from Indianola, Thursday, to see the Giltner ball game.

DR. A. W. HOTT and L. R. Corbin were Indianolaites in the metropolis on business, Tuesday.

DR. R. E. CAMPBELL of Buffalo, N. Y., is here again on one of his semi-occasional peregrinations.

Mrs. FRED IRWIN and sister Amanda Grovert went down to Lincoln, last night, on a short visit.

MR. AND MRS. FRANK IVES of Denver were guests of Engineer and Mrs. Vics Ives, early part of the week.

W. R. STARR was in Imperial, part of the week, on legal business, returning home on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. MATT LAWRIESON went over to Beaver City, Wednesday, on a visit to relatives, and will be home tonight.

HARRIE G. THOMAS of the Harvard Courier visited his brother George H. Thomas of the city schools, Sunday.

AUGUST DROLL arrived home, Sunday, from his trip to Illinois. He says the western part of Nebraska beats 'em all.

OLIVER JEFFRIES of Hayes Center had business in the metropolis of Southwestern Nebraska, Monday and Tuesday.

C. H. COLSON, well known to McCook theatre-goers, is here on a visit, guest of his brother D. W. Colson of the Bee Hive.

ROBERT GUNN was in Omaha, first of the week, to see his mother, who is in a hospital in that city, having recently been operated upon.

Mrs. JOHN KUMMER and the rest of the family arrived from Grand Island, last week, and are again located on the farm, northeast of the city.

M. H. HOLMES expects to leave for Missoula, Montana, in about two weeks, at any rate as soon as the new Baptist parsonage has been completed.

Mrs. E. W. EDDY of Shawnee, Oklahoma, a sister of Mrs. S. D. McClain, arrived in the city, last Thursday, and will make her sister a visit of some length.

Mrs. AUGUSTA ANTON and Clara, Mrs. L. W. Stayner and Lila departed on 6, Tuesday night, for Des Moines, Iowa, to be gone about six weeks, visiting relatives.

MR. AND MRS. L. W. McCONNELL, Mrs. J. W. Line, and Miss Maud Cordale returned, early in the week, from their outing at Curtis lake, having enjoyed the trip and stay greatly.

C. CLINTON PAGE of the Holdrege Progress made a demonstration for the Holdrege nine in Tuesday's game, and with State Senator Frank Dean took in the normal reception, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. J. G. STOKES on Tuesday afternoon entertained a company of lady friends at a Kensington to meet her mother Mrs. Sarah Ward of Hamburg, Iowa. A three-course lunch was served.

JOHN F. ROWELL, sup't of the United States Gold Corporation of Boulder, Colorado, arrived in the city, from the eastern part of the state, Tuesday night, and is spending a few days here on business of the company.

DOUGLAS WENTZ is visiting his uncles at Sundance, Wyoming, and will be absent for several weeks. He has not been recovering satisfactorily from his recent illness with fever, and it is hoped the change will be beneficial.

HENRY S. FERRAR, superintendent of the Grand Island beet sugar factory, has been in McCook and vicinity, part of the week, looking after the company's interests in the sugar-beet fields. He states that the prospects are fine, although the crop is almost a month behind that of last year.

Junior Normal Attendance About 150.

This week the attendance upon the McCook Junior Normal School reached the 150 mark and the work of the normal is progressing very satisfactorily. The attendance at Holdrege is given as about 200, so McCook may feel quite well over the attendance here, which like at the other normals over the state has not been up to expectations.

NORMAL NOTES.

Every Friday morning at 10 o'clock there is a program of music.

Instructor A. O. Thomas spent Sunday with the homefolks in Kearney.

Dr. Riley of Minneapolis addressed the assembly, Tuesday morning.

County Sup't I. B. Raichart of Benkelman was at the normal, early part of the week.

Rev. L. H. Shumate of the Methodist church addressed the normalites at the chapel hour, last Friday morning.

State Sup't Fowler addressed the school at the chapel hour, Tuesday morning, while here on an official visit. He expects to make another visit before the school closes.

Mrs. Clara L. Dobson, superintendent of Frontier county, was here on Tuesday, to meet State Sup't Fowler. Also Sup't Raichart of Dundy county. Where, O! where was O'Donnell of Hitchcock county?

The music feature of the normal is proving one of the marked attractions, and good work is being done in that department. Quite a number of the high school pupils are taking advantage of the opportunity.

On Friday morning of next week, July 3rd, there will be a special music program at 10 o'clock. It will be patriotic in character. There will also be drills by the children of the model school under the direction of Mrs. Sarah J. Brindley.

Congressman E. J. Burkett of Lincoln, one of Nebraska's ablest and most popular congressmen, will deliver an address at the normal some time during the session, date not yet decided upon. His lecture will be "The Young Man of the Day."

Monday and Tuesday of next week, Dean Charles Fordyce of the Wesleyan university will be present. At the chapel hours on Monday and Tuesday he will address the assembly, and on Tuesday evening in the court-room he will deliver a lecture on some pedagogical subject of interest and profit. The public is cordially invited to attend this lecture.

Deputy State Sup't J. L. McBrien will be in McCook tonight (Friday), and will speak to the teachers of the Junior Normal school on "Abraham Lincoln," in the high school assembly room. In addition, the chorus class, under direction of Mr. Bradford, will render a music program. There will be no admission fee, and the public is very cordially invited to be present. The exercise will begin at 8:30 o'clock.

The following interesting music program was rendered this morning at the chapel exercises of the normal:

Morning hymn.....School Song.....School Vocal Duet—"Barcarolle".....Eight Ladies Piano Solo.....Mrs. Frank Wallace Vocal Solo.....Miss Elsie Campbell Chorus.....School Vocal Duet—"Home Sweet Home".....Eight Ladies Vocal Solo.....H. E. Bradford Chorus.....School March.....Miss Blanche McCarl

Prof. George E. Condra, of the department of geology in the state university, made two talks before the normal, Tuesday, morning and afternoon, teaching physiology and geography. In the evening he delivered his illustrated lecture on "The Geography of Nebraska." The attendance was fair and the topic was handled instructively, although the lantern features suffered somewhat in comparison with the work of Roberson, last week. Mrs. Condra accompanied the professor on his visit here.

One of the occasions of the week of special interest, was the reception tendered the pupils of the normal school in the court-room, Tuesday evening, at which State Sup't Fowler was present as a guest of honor. This affair was managed very cleverly by the local committee, assisted by high school pupils, and the felicitous manner in which the guests were entertained left little to be desired. There was a numerous attendance of normal pupils and instructors, together with not a few city teachers, pupils of the high school, members of alumni, and citizens interested in educational affairs. The atmosphere was highly charged with sociability and much ground was well covered in placing all present and interested on a better basis socially. A phonograph operated by J. G. Schobel and a cecilian operated by H. P. Sutton were the source of much pleasure to all. Pineapple ice and cake were served from a tasteful booth in one corner of the room, and punch from another cosy nook, both booths being decorated in the colors of the class of '03.

Following is a full list of teachers and others in attendance:

McCook—Jennie Brady, Ruby Fitzgerald, D. Barnett, Rozz Byfield, Agnes Elbert, Nettie Endsley, Ada Hammond, Mary Healy, Josie Houlahan, Audrey Jones, Susie LeHew, Ethel Middleton, Mary Novotny, Josephine Phelan, May Prodmore, Minnie Rowell, Floyd Russell, Harold Sutton, Edith Waite, Lottie Watkins, Belle Brooks, Laura McMillen, Robert Burns, Sadie E. Coyle, Mary Elliott, Julia Goodenberger, Anna Hannan, Bertha Hedges, Winona Jones, Fred Knappe, Blanche McCarl, Maude Middleton, Bessie Peterson, Alma Powell, Mollie Rheinheimer, Pearl Ruggles, Nellie Ryan, Sylvia Vanderhoof, Mabel Witcox, Mabel Whitaker, Nellie Bennett, Rosa Brady, Mattie Broyles, Birdie Carty, L. W. Jennings, Lettie Knipple, Alice McKenna, Carrie Peterson, Edna Waite, Emma Parry, Winnie Brown.

CAMBRIDGE—Grace Edwards, Ida Redford, Blanche Pahl, Mamie Showalter, Lena Payton, Kate Payton.

HAYES CENTER—Katie Smith.

EDDY—M. J. Hammond.

WAGNETA—Laura Fanning, Nellie Wheeler, Walter Wheeler, Nellie Dick.

STEVENS—Eva Fitzgibbons.

OSBURN—Nannie Campbell.

WILSONVILLE—Bertha Demaree, Helen Johnson, Flora Demaree.

HENDLEY—Lucy A. Arts, Lenora Mart.

MAYWOOD—Carrie Bussard.

ONKAWAS—Eunice Munson.

RED CLOUD—Florence Cotting.

CHAMPION—Grace Davidson.

BOX ELDER—Jeanette Doyle, Maude Stone, Harry Shepherd.

LINCOLN—Margaret Lewis.

HAVANA—Martin Jussell.

BEAVER CITY—Clara Kern.

LEBANON—Hattie Weatherax.

CURTIS—Nellie White.

TRENTON—Grace Houser, Vivian Peterson, Manda Grovert, Addie Harding, Pleasant Hammond.

STAMFORD—Mabel Palmer.

BANKSVILLE—Mary Peters.

QUICK—Carrie Teel, W. W. Teel.

STRATTON—Minnie Raichart, Inez Walker.

CENTER POINT—Anna Russell.

HARVARD—Frances Martin.

CEDAR BLUFFS, KANSAS—Vivian Gossard.

DANBURY—Dora Greenwood, Pearl Hytes, John Ruby, Bertha Thompson, Mary Greenway, Rosa Minnie, Lucretia Ruby, Rosa Brown.

PALISADE—Mollie Ryan.

BARTLEY—Lizzie Adair, Pearl Curlee, Perry Ginther, Mary Richmond, Ida Bush, Nellie Farrell, Clara Meeker, Oscar Lohr.

CULBERTSON—Alice Stewart, Verna Vastine.

IMPERIAL—Myra Meeker, Sarah Morris, Vada Samuelson, Blanche Meeker, George Roe, Adell Hoffmeister, Maud McClellan.

MAX—Katie Hickman, Adie Powell.

INDIANOLA—J. J. Carter, Effie Crowder, Alta Hagar, Emma Lang, Teresa McDonnell, Ethel Sheridan, J. K. Carter, Ida Donnelly, Edna Holcomb, Anna McDonnell, Edna Reynolds, Katie Vering, Grace Phillips, Gertrude Teel, Anna Vering, Della Andrews.

SPRINGFIELD—J. R. Hammond.

DENVER, COLO.—Louise Pitney.

A New Dental Office.

Per card appearing elsewhere in this issue it will be seen that McCook has another dental office and that Dr. R. J. Gunn is its prophet. He has succeeded in securing rooms over Grannis's store, where he has just installed a brand new plant of the latest and most up-to-date appliances in the dental business, and coming fresh from school has the latest and most approved methods in dentistry, which he will practice in this community and this section of the state at the most reasonable prices consistent with first-class work. Remember the place, over Grannis's store.

St. John's Day Picnic.

While the rain, Wednesday morning, interfered with the carrying out of the regular program of holding a picnic in the grove near the Byfield ranch, the Masonic brethren and their invited friends were not to be robbed of the entire pleasure anticipated, so they repaired to the lodge rooms and in the banquet room spread their feast and made merry.

Superb Stationery.

It is just as well to use the best styles in stationery. We have them, and they cost no more than the less fashionable variety.

L. W. McCONNELL, Druggist.

The Degree of Honor will hold a basket picnic in the grove at the waterworks on next Tuesday afternoon, spreading the feast at supper time. Members and families are invited. Well filled baskets are requested.

Men's suits \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.50 and up to \$12.50, boys' 3-piece suits \$3.00 to \$3.50, boys' knee-pant suits 85¢ to \$3.25. The Thompson Dry Goods Co.

We have, this morning, received another shipment of the celebrated Ideal white waists in lawns and silks—all sizes. The Thompson Dry Goods Co.

Call in and see our new line of wrist chatelaine bags, ladies' and gents' purses, card cases, boudle books, etc.

A. McMILLEN, Druggist.

One of the blue-ribbon beet fields of this vicinity is that of Colonel W. E. Corwin of Lakewood ranch.

Men's balbriggan and gauze underwear in black, ecru and colors, 25¢ to \$1. The Thompson Dry Goods Co.

Wrappers at half price.

S. W. LOWMAN.

J. H. Grannis has just received a supply of 48 and 54-inch binder canvas.

Standing S. W. Nebraska League.

| | Won. | Lost. | Per cent. |
|----------------|------|-------|-----------|
| Holdrege..... | 8 | 1 | .888 |
| McCook..... | 7 | 3 | .700 |
| Minden..... | 3 | 4 | .429 |
| Giltner..... | 3 | 6 | .333 |
| Red Cloud..... | 1 | 7 | .125 |

Two of a Bad Kind.

McCook suffered a pair of defeats at the hands of the Silver Ash aggregation at Holdrege, close of last week, opening on last Friday afternoon with a shut-out, Holdrege at the same time scoring six times. Summary:

Holdrege.....2 1 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 0 6

McCook.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Batteries—McCook, Schopp and Bender; Holdrege, Pendergraft and Gray.

Base hits—McCook 3; Holdrege 7. Two-base hits—Pendergraft 2, Burman. Three-base hits—Townsend, Maryatt.

Struck out—By Schopp 10; by Pendergraft 4.

Errors—McCook 4; Holdrege 2.

Umpire—Waterman. Scorer—Kunkle.

Saturday's game, while it resulted in a victory for Holdrege by a score of 1 to 0, was one of the finest exhibitions of baseball ever witnessed in Southwestern Nebraska. Details:

Holdrege.....0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1

McCook.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Batteries—McCook, Moore and Bender; Holdrege, Teel and Gray.

Base hits—Holdrege 5; McCook 4. Three-base hits—Maryatt.

Struck out—By Teel 6; by Moore 3.

Errors—Holdrege 3; McCook 2.

Umpire—Waterman. Scorer—Kunkle.

Monday the scene was shifted to McCook. The opening game progressed without strenuous incident until the last half of the sixth inning, when Holdrege objected to a decision of the umpire, which gave McCook the first score of the game, (by Archie Cole), on either side. After all efforts had been exhausted to have the game proceed, Umpire Cone called the game, giving the same to McCook by the usual score in such cases, 9 to 0. Kennedy ran in home during the squabbling and argument over the Cole score, so the actual score at this juncture was 2 to 0 in McCook's favor.

Batteries—McCook, Schopp and Bender; Holdrege, Pendergraft and Burman.

Base hits—McCook 2; Holdrege 1.

Struck out—By Pendergraft 2; by Schopp 7.

Umpire—Lon Cone. Scorer—G. D. LeHew.

Tuesday's game went against McCook by a score of 6 to 3. The locals had license to win this game, but unfortunate errors proved costly, and while the boys seemed to hit Teel quite freely there was a Holdrege man right under every ball they lined out. The particulars are:

Holdrege.....2 1 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 0 6

McCook.....1 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3

Batteries—McCook, Moore and Bender; Holdrege, Teel and Gray.

Base hits—McCook 6; Holdrege 12. Two-base hits—McCook, Bender and Wilson; Holdrege, Gray, Doune, Maryatt. Home run—Bender.

Struck out—By Teel 7; by Moore 6.

Errors—McCook 5; Holdrege 3.

Bases on balls—Teel 2; Moore 1.

Umpire—Pat Walsh. Scorer—G. D. LeHew.

The Giltner-McCook series opened here Wednesday, with a defeat for the visitors in a score of 7 to 1.

Thursday's game with Giltner was pretty nearly a repetition of Wednesday's experience. Details:

Giltner.....0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 2

McCook.....1 0 0 4 2 0 0 0 0 0 7

Batteries—Giltner, O'Neill and Bender; McCook, Townsend and Bender.

Two-base hits—Converse, Moore, Schopp, Galentine.

Bases on balls—Off O'Neill 7; off Townsend 2.

Struck out—By O'Neill 4; by Townsend 6.

Empire—Kunkle. Scorer—Reed.

SHORT STOPS.

Art Glade is to play for the locals in the field.

Cope is not to play with the locals, this year.

Archie Cole is with the home boys at center. And he is a "peach."

Gray is to be credited with a long run and fine catch in Monday's game.

A feature of Tuesday's game was a star catch by "Snapper" Kennedy.

The game with Havelock, this afternoon, promises to be the hottest of the season, and is attracting large attention and interest.

The Giltner boys created the impression, while here, of being a fine gentlemanly lot of fellows. They play a nice game and take defeat manfully.

Holdrege should have played out Monday's game. They were beneficiaries of more decisions than losers, and should have stood for one close decision, even though McCook got a score thereby. It is bad enough to be kickers. It is worse to play the baby act.